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STATEMENT OF VIABILITY

(Issued pursuant to Rule 10.2 of the *Budapest Treaty Regulations*)



PARTY TO WHOM THE VIABILITY STATEMENT IS ISSUED

Name Margaret Anne Gidney

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100 Sussex Dr., Ottawa, ON, K1A 0R6

DEPOSITOR

Name Margaret Anne Gidney

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IDENTIFICATION OF THE DEPOSIT

Accession Number given by the International Depository Authority IDAC 260900-1

Date of the original deposit (or most recent relevant date) Sep 26, 2000

VIABILITY TEST

The viability of the deposit identified above was tested on (most recent test date) Oct 19, 2000

On the date indicated above, the culture was:

- viable
 no longer viable

Conditions under which the Viability Test were performed (to be filled in if the information has been requested and the results of the test were negative) _____

Signature of person(s) authorized to represent IDAC

Date Oct 19, 2000

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RECEIPT IN THE CASE OF AN ORIGINAL DEPOSIT
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ATTACH COPIES OF THE ORIGINAL DEPOSIT CONTRACT AND VIABILITY STATEMENT

This International Depository Authority accepts the deposit of the microorganism specified below, which was received by it on Sep 26, 2000

To (Name of Depositor) Margaret Anne Gidney

Address Institute for Biological Sciences, National Research Council of Canada
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IDENTIFICATION OF DEPOSIT

Reference assigned by depositor Hybridoma NmL3B5

Accession Number assigned by this IDA IDAC 260900-1

The deposit identified above was accompanied by:

- a scientific description (specify) Monoclonal antibody to *Neisseria meningitidis* L3 galE inner core LPS
- a proposed taxonomic designation (specify) _____

Signature of person(s) authorized to represent IDAC:



Date Sep 26, 2000